UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

Pastor Benjamin A. Jonson, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

Civil No. 11-23 (RHK/LIB)

VS.

DISQUALIFICATION AND ORDER FOR REASSIGNMENT

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, et al.,

Defendants.

The above-entitled matter has been assigned to the undersigned, a Judge of the above Court. Pursuant to Title 28, United States Code § 455, the undersigned recuses himself from hearing this matter. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that pursuant to this Court's Assignment of Cases Order dated December 1, 2008, the above-captioned action shall be resubmitted to the Clerk of Court for reassignment.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that a copy of this Order shall be filed in the above-captioned case.

Dated: January 6, 2011

s/Richard H. Kyle RICHARD H. KYLE United States District Judge